

2006

*Celebrating a century of numismatics in Columbus*



# CENTRAL OHIO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION



## **July educational program**

**When:** July 19

**Where:** Grandview Heights HS

1587 W. 3rd. Ave. - 1st floor cafeteria

**Topic:** Half cents

**Speaker:** David Consolo

## **Quick hit**

Dan Carroll has volunteered for this month's quick hit, on a subject to be determined.

## **The Main event**

Solon coin dealer David B. Consolo, a familiar figure at club shows and Scout events, will talk about half cents.

Even though the coin had fair buying power in its day, the half cent (1793-1857) was never very popular. Only about 6 million were minted during its entire run.

## **Coin quiz**

The quiz takes a vacation this month.

John Roberts, Bill Kamb & Geoff Gruendl won last month's quiz.

## **Auction**

Auctioneers: Charles Caldwell and Steve Barnett .

Lots: Send September auction lots to Steve - sbarnet5@columbus.rr.com - by Aug. 8

## **Jackpot**

With no winner the past two months, the jackpot stands at \$80 this month.

## **Club picnic**

**Time:** 12:30 - 5p.m.

**Date:** Sunday Aug. 13

**Place:** Busch picnic shelter, as usual

Entrance is off Schrock Rd., east of the brewery and before the bridge.

The club will provide hot dogs, burgers, buns and soft drinks. Please bring your own plates and a salad to share.

Proceeds from the picnic auction are used to cover expenses. Bill is looking for donations for the auction.

### Club Medal

Fixed costs: \$1,650 dies

Silver, \$2.50 ea. plus spot (\$11 on 7/4)

Gold \$30.50 plus spot (\$620 on 7/4)

Bronze \$2.50 ea.

The cost of the die work must be distributed among the medals ordered. If we bought 100 medals, each medal would cost \$16.50 plus the above figures. If we bought 200 medals the fixed costs would be \$8.25 per medal

Today, the cost for 100 medals would be

Gold medal: \$667

Silver medal \$30

Bronze medal \$19

That price would drop if we ordered more medals or if the fixed costs were not assigned on a per-medal basis. (For example, fixed costs would drop if the club picked up some of the die-work costs or if we assigned fixed costs to just silver medals, but not bronze ones)

At the June meeting members indicated they would buy 43 bronze medals, 47 silver and 4 gold medals.

IF YOU DID NOT indicate your preference at the June meeting, please take a minute to fill out the form below and bring it to the next meeting or send it to :

Gerry Tebben, Box 82125, Columbus, Ohio 43202 or gtebben@columbus.rr.com

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### Medal preferences

Name: .....

Gold ..... Silver ..... Bronze .....

This is not an order and is not binding. It's just a way to gauge how many medals to order.

### June presentation

Bill Smith spoke about world paper money.

A coin collector since the 1950s, Bill switched to paper about a dozen years ago. World paper, he said, is interesting, educational and not a bad investment.

Many collectors are trying to get one note from each country. The five hardest are:

German New Guinea

Gilbert & Ellice Islands

Grenada

Kingdom of Hawaii

Hijaz

### September speaker

Because of crossed wires or a muddle along the way, our Sept. speaker is undetermined. I've been listing it as Pete Miller on modern Canadian commems. Pete says it's not him.

If you had agreed to speak in Sept., please let me know. Otherwise, I'm looking for a September speaker.

I'm also looking for speakers for next year, beginning in Feb.

### Upcoming speakers

Aug. 13 Club picnic

Sept. 20 WHO?

Oct. 18 David Percy, Fractionals

Nov. 15 Russell Rising, Errors

January Gary Heberline, Bimetallics

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